

To: Jackson, Ryan[jackson.ryan@epa.gov]
From: Bolen, Brittany
Sent: Tue 8/22/2017 12:37:04 PM
Subject: Re: For Awareness -- FOIA Releases of ethics docs re: Doug Ericksen and Brittany Bolen

Yes. I can direct my questions to Becky. Thank you for sending to me.

> On Aug 22, 2017, at 8:28 AM, Jackson, Ryan <jackson.ryan@epa.gov> wrote:
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> This is why I wanted to forward to you. Since it relates to you will you look through the attached?
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> Ryan Jackson
> Chief of Staff
> U.S. EPA
> (202) 564-6999
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>> On Aug 21, 2017, at 10:27 PM, Bolen, Brittany <bolen.brittany@epa.gov> wrote:

Ex. 5 - Deliberative Process

>> Brittany
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>> Sent from my iPhone
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>>> On Aug 21, 2017, at 7:43 PM, Bolen, Brittany <bolen.brittany@epa.gov> wrote:
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>>> No Ryan, I have not. No one sent me for review.
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>>> Sent from my iPhone
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>>>> On Aug 21, 2017, at 7:23 PM, Jackson, Ryan <jackson.ryan@epa.gov> wrote:
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>>>> Have you reviewed the attached?
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>>>> From: Dolph, Becky
>>>> Sent: Friday, August 18, 2017 4:47 PM
>>>> To: Jackson, Ryan <jackson.ryan@epa.gov>; Minoli, Kevin <Minoli.Kevin@epa.gov>; Bowman, Liz <Bowman.Liz@epa.gov>; Lyons, Troy <lyons.troy@epa.gov>; Dravis, Samantha <dravis.samantha@epa.gov>; Graham, Amy <graham.amy@epa.gov>; Packard, Elise <Packard.Elise@epa.gov>
>>>> Cc: Grantham, Nancy <Grantham.Nancy@epa.gov>; Fugh, Justina <Fugh.Justina@epa.gov>; Clarke, Victoria <clarke.victoria@epa.gov>
>>>> Subject: For Awareness -- FOIA Releases of ethics docs re: Doug Ericksen and Brittany Bolen
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>>>> On Wednesday, August 23, OGC Ethics is planning to release the attached documents to 12 different FOIA requests.
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>>>> These FOIA requests all seek communications between EPA's Designated or Alternate Ethics Official and Doug Ericksen or Brittany Bolen concerning Mr. Ericksen or Ms. Bolen's ethics responsibilities

and/or recusals at EPA, as well as any written ethics advice or counseling provided to these individuals. Any documents containing personally identifiable information or deliberative material have been redacted accordingly under FOIA Exemptions 6 (Personal Privacy) and 5 (Deliberative Process Privilege).

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>>>> There are 118 documents that are responsive to requests about Doug Ericksen.

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>>>> * These documents will be released to the following 3 FOIA requesters as part of a final release: Rob Davis (The Oregonian), Elisabeth D. Britt (private citizen); Joseph O'Sullivan (The Seattle Times).

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>>>> * The documents will also be provided as an interim release to the following 7 FOIA requesters: Emily K. Davis (NRDC); Nicholas P. Surgey (Center for Media and Democracy); Sharon Lerner (The Intercept); Sarah Emerson (Motherboard); Alison Gregor (ProPublica); Ruben Davis (VICE); Rachel Levin (Center for Public Integrity).

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>>>> * Please note that Pages 6-8 (Ethics_0000006-8), 18-21 (Ethics_00000018-21), and Pages 98-100 (Ethics_0000132-4) have been flagged by OGC Ethics. These documents can also be found in the .pdf attached to this email as "Doug Ericksen emails - Flagged Documents."

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>>>> There are 123 documents responsive to requests about Brittany Bolen.

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>>>> * These documents will be released to the following 6 FOIA requesters as part of an interim release: Nicholas P. Surgey (Center for Media and Democracy); Sharon Lerner (The Intercept); Alison Gregor (ProPublica); Oliver Milmann (the Guardian US); Ruben Davis (VICE); Rachel Levin (Center for Public Integrity).

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>>>> * No documents were flagged by OGC Ethics.

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>>>> OGC Ethics will be personally contacting any affected custodians as a courtesy to inform that their ethics-related documents will be released on August 23.

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>>>> Let me know if there are any questions.

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>>>> Becky Dolph | Director, FOIA Expert Assistance Team Office

>>>> U.S Environmental Protection Agency

>>>> Office of General Counsel | 7309B WJCN | 202-564-5771

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>>>> For reference, the FOIA numbers are:

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>>>> 1. EPA-HQ-2017-003885 (expedited);

>>>> 2. EPA-HQ-2017-004617;

>>>> 3. EPA-HQ-2017-005827;

>>>> 4. EPA-HQ-2017-005885 (expedited).

>>>> 5. EPA-HQ-2017-005953;

>>>> 6. EPA-HQ-2017-006144;

>>>> 7. EPA-HQ-2017-006151;

>>>> 8. EPA-HQ-2017-007082;

>>>> 9. EPA-HQ-2017-008340 (Expedited);

>>>> 10. EPA-HQ-2017-009362 (Expedited);
>>>> 11. EPA-HQ-2017-009762 (Expedited);
>>>> 12. EPA-HQ-2017-009913.
>>>>
>>>> <Doug Ericksen emails - Ethics FOIA.PDF>
>>>> <Brittany Bolen emails - Ethics FOIA.PDF>
>>>> <Doug Ericksen emails - Flagged Documents.pdf>